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Serial No. 10/531,385 : Attorney Docket No. 2005-0532A
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DIAGNOSIS OF GLAUCOMA BY : THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED
COMPLEX AUTOANTIBODY : TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE
REPERTOIRES IN BODY FLUIDS : FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT
[Corresponding to PCT/IB2003/004597 : ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975
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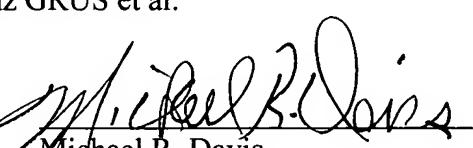
Sir:

Applicants are submitting herewith copies of the eight references cited on the PTO-1449 form attached to Applicants' Information Disclosure Statement filed April 15, 2005.

Respectfully submitted,

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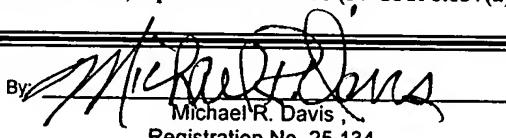

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FORM PTO 1390 (REV 5-93) US DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE		ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER 2005-0532A 10/531385 U.S. APPLICATION NO. (if known, see 37 CFR 1.5) 10/531,385
TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. §371		
International Application No. PCT/IB2003/004597	International Filing Date October 16, 2003	Priority Date Claimed October 18, 2002
Title of Invention DIAGNOSIS OF GLAUCOMA BY COMPLEX AUTOANTIBODY REPERTOIRES IN BODY FLUIDS		
Applicant(s) For DO/EO/US Franz GRUS, Stephanie JOACHIM and Norbert PFEIFFER		
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:		
1. <input type="checkbox"/> This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. §371. 2. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. §371. 3. <input type="checkbox"/> This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. §371(f)) at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. §371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1). 4. <input type="checkbox"/> A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date. 5. <input type="checkbox"/> A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. §371(c)(2)) a. <input type="checkbox"/> is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). b. <input type="checkbox"/> has been transmitted by the International Bureau. c. <input type="checkbox"/> is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US) 6. <input type="checkbox"/> A translation of the International Application into English (35 U.S.C. §371(c)(2)). 7. <input type="checkbox"/> Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. §371(c)(3)). a. <input type="checkbox"/> are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). b. <input type="checkbox"/> have been transmitted by the International Bureau. c. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. d. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made and will not be made. 8. <input type="checkbox"/> A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19. 9. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. §371(c)(4)). 10. <input type="checkbox"/> A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. §371(c)(5)). Items 11. to 14. below concern other document(s) or information included: 11. <input type="checkbox"/> An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. 12. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. 13. <input type="checkbox"/> A FIRST preliminary amendment. <input type="checkbox"/> A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment. 14. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other items or information: Submission of References cover letter with copies of International Search Report and 8 references and Confirmation of Inventors.		

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15. [X] The following fees are submitted				CALCULATIONS	
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